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Application No.: 10/720,646

Filing Date: November 24, 2003

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Art Unit: 1762

Invention: **METHOD OF PRODUCING A JOINTLESS AND POROUS GRANULAR COVERING, AND GRANULAR COVERING PRODUCED BY THIS METHOD**

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27 is enclosed.

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of April 29, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper; and

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.

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